

DHS is rolling an Internal Registry Program at Harbor-UCLA Medical Center. The Internal Registry Program, utilizing relief nurse ordinance items, is designed to supplement staffing traditionally filled by registry and contract labor staff. The goals of the program are to reduce the department's reliance on nursing registry, maintain continuity of care and provide quality patient care. The Internal Registry Program will replace Section 170 secondary timecard option. County workforce members, including management staff (SSN, NM, ANDA, CND, and NDA) will be eligible to participate in the Internal Registry program upon completion and validation of competency assessment. Administrative program oversight will be provided centrally by Office of Nursing Affairs.

Eligible candidates must have one (1) year of nursing experience and Basic Life Support certified and be currently on a Relief Nurse Item, (5261-F) in DHS, or currently employed by Los Angeles County and previously held the Relief Nurse item, or currently on the DHS Internal Registry Relief Nurse Certification List.

Harbor-UCLA Medical Center's most critical staffing needs for Internal Registry are in the following specialty areas: Intensive Critical Care Units, Emergency Rooms, Psychiatric, and Medical/Surgical Wards.

RESPONSIBILITIES INCLUDE BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO:

- Provide direct patient care for patients that require specialty services and nursing care
- Assume responsibility and accountability for the delivery of patient care, delegation and coordination
 of nursing care and utilization of the nursing process as part of an interdisciplinary team
- Patient and family education
- Demonstrate clinical nursing competency
- Communicates and collaborates effectively with patients and as a member of an interdisciplinary healthcare team
- Performs work with integrity and in compliance with professional nursing practice standards, policies and procedures, respecting patients' privacy and confidentiality

DESIRABLE QUALIFICATIONS:

- Effective interpersonal and organizational skills
- Ability to work 24 to 39 hours per week
- Effective critical thinking, decision making, and problem solving skills
- Ability to work effectively with a diverse and challenging patient population
- Flexibility and willingness to adapt to various situations and care areas

Interested applicants should submit a cover letter, resume, copy of their last two performance evaluations, and a copy of their time records for the past 24 months to:

Richard Guitche, RN: rguitche@dhs.lacounty.gov or Alan Noel, RN: alnoel@dhs.lacounty.gov

Nurse Recruitment & Retention Center – Building N-25, Room 107 Telephone: (310)222-2512 Fax: (310) 787-0065

EOE: 9-4-15

Candidates must be currently on the position for lateral transfers or reachable on DHS Certification List. Resumes will be accepted until the needs of the department are met. The highest reviewed and qualified candidates will be contacted for interviews.